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## ...ANOTHER WEEK...

OF THIS GREATEST OF ALL

## Clearing Sales!

And now we offer you Greater Bargains than before. Never mind the "whys" and "wherefores" of this sale, but look at goods and you will be convinced of the truth of our statements. Note this:

### Millinery Sale.

We have the most successful Millinery business this season in our experience, and rather than carry anything over, we are willing to sell them at a loss. That's why we offer our 25c Sailors at 15c, 50c Sailors at Half Price; 75c Sailors at 45c, and have cut \$2.00 ones to Half Price.

### Wash Goods Sale.

For just the same reason we are sacrificing 10c goods at 6c, and 7c values at 5c. And the styles are excellent. Fine Mouseline De Soie have been cut from 60c to 45c.

### Parasol Sale.

All our Parasol stock is reduced 20 per cent. We show some handsome styles.

### Embroidery Sale.

If you have not yet seen them you will be surprised at the high clearance of the Embroideries we are selling at 5, 11 and 12 1/2 a yard. The sale has been immense, but we have plenty of it yet.

Terms, CASH in this Sale.

### Stupendous Pant Sale.

The manufacturer sent us this morning by Express an immense lot of Pants, which they were anxious to dispose of at some price. It was a pretty big purchase of Pants for us, but the prices were so tempting that we decided to keep them and put them in this Sale, and we are able to offer you to-day, \$1.50 Pants for 98c, \$2.50 Pants at \$1.98, \$3.50 Pants at 2.48.

### Our Suit Sale

Has been very successful. Note our windows for Special offerings.

### All Wool Black Worsteds,

Round and Square Neck Suits, \$6.75 These are good values at \$10.00.

\$16.50 Suits at \$11.75

12.50 Suits at 9.75

### Groceries

Best Fancy Pat. Flour, \$4.00.

Best Fancy Straight, \$3.65

Arbuckles, Lion, XXXX, or any

Package Coffee, 10c

Granulated Sugar, 18 lbs. for \$1.00

8 lbs. Soda for 25c.

Masons Quart Jar, 40c per doz.

8 Bars Clarette Soap 25c

## L. P. & W. S. ELLISON.

### HICKMAN MARBLE WORKS

(ESTABLISHED 1857).

TOM DILLON, Sr., Prop'r.

(Successor to H. L. Bannock, Jr.)

Marble and Granite Monuments

CURBING,

STONE WORK of all kinds,

IRON FENCING, &c., &c.

Hickman, Ky.

## At Cost!

For the Next Sixty Days  
BONDURANT

WILL SELL

Buggies, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Etc.,

at COST, because he desires to close out all goods in this line.

R. T. TYLER,  
REAL ESTATE  
AND INSURANCE AGENT.

Special attention given to the selling of Real Estate of all kinds; and represents a full line of the best and most reliable Fire Insurance Companies doing business in the State, and that "Old Reliable" MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE CO., that has already paid out largely over \$100,000 Life Insurance in Hickman and vicinity, and is issuing the cheapest and best policy of any regular Life Insurance Company doing business in this country. He solicits your patronage. Call and see him.

### GREATEST LIMIT OF HUMAN LIFE.

Scientific men are not agreed as to the greatest limit of human life. Prof. Owen placed it at about 103 and Flourens at 105. Probably Richardson's limit of 110 years is nearer the truth. This great sanitarian even asserted that seven out of every 10 intelligent people could reach that limit if they took proper care of themselves. He aimed at the physician's ideal, the time when there shall be no more of an infant of days nor an old man who hath not filled his days." Longevity is more likely to be attained in Richardson's method of conformity to the laws of health than by Roberts' secret "great juice" formula. Prof. Sidel, in the last number of the Chicago Clinician states that "the claims made for the new (Roberts) treatment are startlingly novel and highly probable. It has, nevertheless, he says interested some of the most respectable and reputable members of the profession to the extent of leading it to the parent structure, precludes the possibility of raising leathers on a dog, or hair on a pigskin. In an article in the Medical Age Mr. Kinnear says that there are certain indications which give clues to longevity. Thus "a large heart, large lungs, large brain and digestive powers indicate long life. A person who appears to be tall in sitting and short and thickest in standing is more apt to live long, being endowed with a long trunk and short legs and arms."

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### THE DANGER CATCHES.

[From Memphis Scimitar.]

Presence of mind is a quality that should be impressed upon children, although it is more or less instinctive, as an exchange. Still, there are certain rules that might be instilled with advantage. A clever woman has what she calls a "danger catechism," which she teaches like a lesson to each of her children, requiring them to repeat it every now and then, to make sure that they remember its precepts.

"What would you do in case you caught on fire?" is one question, and the answer is obvious. "I must not run, but pick up the nearest and thickest thing within reach, a rug or blanket if possible, and wrap myself up in it," and so on. All the possible contingencies are thought of and provided for as far as possible.

The idea is an excellent one, and if the children ever forget their instructions in time of need, it will certainly not be the mother's fault. It would be a good policy this season, when the country roads are crowded with vehicles for parents to impress upon the small drivers that they should at once seek the safety of the gutter in case of a runaway, and in turning corners to keep a wide sweep to the right.

### Your Weight.

How much would your weight amount to in silver dollars at 18 to the pound? Would you like to have this much? Well, then see our announcement of "The Big Contest."

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—Miss John Jackson is in Union City.

—Another hantbag—the kissing bug. Arrived this day, "The Big Contest."

—The law of the land—keep off the grass.

—Mrs. Tom Wallace, is visiting in Union City.

—Master Jamie Cheek is visiting in Paris, Tenn.

—Miss Clara Mai Carpenter is visiting in Fulton.

—Miss Bessie Herring, of Union City is the guest of Mrs. T. E. Swaine.

—Rev. Arthur Bogher and Marie Brevard spent Sunday in Columbus.

—Miss Daisy Thomas, of Dyerburg, Tenn., is visiting Miss Estella Hefley.

—The great difficulty with reform movements is their lack of movement.

—Mrs. Cam Rice and children were visiting relative near Woodland, this week.

—Mrs. Amelia Rosekamp, of Cape Girardeau, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Beckman.

—Miss Eugenia Mitchell, of Columbia, Tenn., is the guest of Miss Marie Brevard.

—Automobiles, 30 in number, are to be introduced for street service in Paducah, and a \$10,000 company organized.

—Mrs. W. W. Hall, of Union City, and Miss M. Sue Mooney, of Paducah, were guests of Mrs. C. A. Holcomb this week.

—Grand barbecue on Aug. 1st, at John Townsend's place back of Island No. 6, 2 1/2 miles northeast of James Bayou Ferry.

—Mr. A. C. Morgan, of Mississippi county, Mo., and Miss Nellie Flagg, of McCluckey county, Ky., were married Thursday.

—A public meeting will be held in the Gayles M. E. Church, Sunday afternoon, July 23d, at half past 3 o'clock, in charge of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union. All are cordially invited to attend.

—A report from 350 cities and towns give as a result of celebrating the 4th of July the following list of casualties: Dead, 32; injured, 1,730; losses by fire, \$350,070; injured by cannon crackers, 181; injured by powder explosions, 307; injured by toy cannon, 366; hit by stray bullets, 1.

—Between the fatal "kissing bug," and the non-fatal, the non-fatal kissing bug has roamed the land for—well, ever since time was. He has two legs. The fatal kind has four legs. Just be careful and count the legs, and you'll know what to expect.

—As soon as possible after having been "kissed" by a kissing bug, says an exchange, place a large piece of ham fat upon the spot and let it remain there for some time. The patient will experience relief at once, but the ham fat should not be taken off just then, as the poison in the "kiss" must be drawn out. The fat accomplishes this in about half an hour.

—The railing of the Revenue Department prohibiting banks from affixing stamps to unstamped checks when presented will cause no little inconvenience. Banks are not even allowed to sell a stamp to a patron who presents an unstamped check. The check must be stamped when offered at the window. Any accommodation rendered by the official in the way of giving or selling a stamp is a violation. Hereafter, many people simply paid two cents at the desk or increased the amount of their check two cents when they went to draw money.

### PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

We desire to call your attention to the remarkable offer we make you in "The Big Contest." The idea of giving a man his weight in silver dollars is something new and startling. It is well worthy your attention. The absolute fairness of "The Big Contest" can be seen at once, as even the most practical gentlemen differ several thousands in their estimate. No educational or other qualification will offer advantage in "The Big Contest." "The Big Contest" is everybody's contest. You stand as good a chance as any other person on the face of the earth. Would you like to possess your weight in Brand New, Shining Silver Dollars?—[Editor.]

### The Money Question in 1900.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, and Senator Bacon, of Georgia, are of the opinion that the Republicans in 1900 will adopt a clear cut conservative single gold standard platform, and that if so, any Democrat on any kind of a bimetallic platform can best them. In 1896 the Republicans only equaled toward the single gold standard, but pledged the party to the restoration of silver by international agreement. If the Republicans would only take the position, and if honest they would, the Democrats might indeed hope to win. But they are not going to do it. They are more likely to re-adopt their financial plank of 1896, and double deal before the people.

### Cannot Win on a Single Issue.

Senator Jno. T. Morgan, one of the oldest and ablest of Southern Democratic leaders confirms repeated, published interviews, substantially, as follows:

1st. He does not believe the democrats can win in 1900 on any single issue, or with a candidate wrapped up in any single issue.

2nd. He (Morgan) is now as in the past, for free silver and does not believe the country can attain prosperity to all classes until silver is restored; but there are other questions before the public of equal or greater immediate importance.

3rd. He thinks that if the democrats will nominate Gen. Fitzhugh Lee the ticket would sweep the country. He says that Gen. Lee is a gold democrat, but conservative in all things and that he voted for Bryan in 1896 as a matter of conditions. He also says that Ex-Vice President Stephenson, a conservative silver man would also make an admirable nominee.

4th. He thinks that democrats could not and should not oppose the Philippine war now, but direct their efforts to home rule to the Philippines after the war has been ended.

### A HORRIBLE CONFESSION.

At a banquet of newspaper men in New York, Mr. Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York Tribune, and the American minister to France during Harrison's administration, when called upon to toast the "Independent press," made the following statement in response.

"There is up such things as a country press. It is the country press, you are slaves. You know it. I know it. There is not one of you who dares to express an honest opinion. If you express it you would know beforehand that it would not appear in print. I am paid \$150 a week for keeping honest opinions out of the paper. I am connected with. Others of you are paid similar salaries for doing similar things. If I should allow honest opinions to be printed in one issue of my paper, like Othello, before 24 hours my occupation would be gone."

The country press is perhaps a shade more honest and conscientious than its great city contemporaries, and more surely represents the opinions and convictions of its immediate constituency. But the local paper has a great embargo as to its honest utterances because of its environment and surroundings. In politics it is compelled to choose between alternatives the one of which may be bad and the other not altogether good, to take position on issues made up by forces in the formulation of which it had naught to do, and to be for or against is neither up to the standard of honest convictions, but to remain silent would help the worse to prevail. In truth, local papers like the vast majority of fellow-brothers, are after all merely "bread winners"—no worse and no better than the average mortal, and their utterances should be so received by readers. A grievous weakness of "country papers" is the inclination to "hero worship"—to magnify mere pigmies into giants if on our side, and to condemn opponents as beyond the pale of respectability and possessed of motives only for ruin and degradation. However, all that honest country papers should want is to be judged by the measure that you judge others of your fellow citizens in their utterances.

Suppressed

Hong Kong, July 17.—All of the American correspondents at Manila have joined in a statement to the press of America saying the conditions in the Philippines are not favorable to our troops. They say the facts are not correctly represented in the official dispatches.







## Going to Build This Spring?

We can furnish you with everything needed to build with  
... at ...  
**VERY - LOWEST - PRICES.**

Rough Lumber,  
Dressed Lumber,  
Doors and Windows,  
Sash and Blinds,  
Shingles, Nails,  
Builders Hardware,  
Paints and Oils,  
Lime, Cement and Plaster.  
Let us figure with you.

**L. P. & W. S. Ellison**

## Railroad Time Table.

N., O. & St. L. R. R.  
LEAVES ARRIVES  
Train No. 51 at 8:30 p. m. Train No. 52 7:30 a. m.  
Train No. 53 at 8:30 p. m. Train No. 54 7:30 a. m.

## GOEBEL DENIES

### That He Ever Promised Stone.

In refutation of the charge that Goebel promised to withdraw his name as a candidate and throw his influence to secure the nomination for Stone, Senator Goebel, in a published statement, says: "During the Convention and since I have denied the statement that I ever promised Mr. Stone, or any one else, to withdraw from the contest for nomination and nominate him, and Mr. Woodson, who was the only intermediary between Mr. Stone and myself, and who is fully cognizant of all that occurred between Mr. Stone and myself, has repeatedly stated in his newspaper, the *Owensboro Messenger*, that no such agreement was made. 'There is nothing better known than the fact that before the Convention convened, and during the progress, I repeatedly and publicly refused to make such an agreement. 'I wish to say now that any statement that I ever promised to withdraw, or in anywise suggested that I would, to draw from the contest for the nomination, and would nominate Stone, is untrue. The agreement that was made between Mr. Stone and myself related to the organization of the convention, and the *Owensboro Messenger* has also said, in its very conference, that Mr. Stone expressly stated that the matter of the nomination must be determined in and by the Convention.'"

## FOR GOEBEL.

Senator Linney, the Republican Leader, Declares He'll Vote.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 13.—Ex-Senator Cleon Linney, of Louisville, the first Republican to revolt openly against the machine, denounces Republicanism in the present condition of the party, and declares that he will vote for Goebel. Mr. Linney made this declaration in the lobby of the Phoenix hotel yesterday afternoon, and it created a pronounced sensation. He was talking to Chairman Barnett, of the state central committee, and several other members of the Taylor machine.

## Railway Building.

Railway mileage in the country during the six months ended June 30 of the present year, according to statistics collected by the Railway Age, has been increased by 1,360.4 miles. The greatest extensions have been made in the Pacific States, the far Northwest and the South. Construction in the last named section has been particularly active.

ABOUT four thousand of Gen. Oiler's twenty-nine thousand regular troops are on the alert. There is need of more able bodied men at the front at once.

ADA BRAN figured in silver at the World's Fair, Chicago, but Maude Adams is to make her debut at the Paris Exposition in gold. Won't this yielding to the single gold standard prevalent in Europe, take her away from the Exposition? Some one should set on foot a movement to send a silver statue of a beauty to offset the homage paid to gold.

Ten following is the Republican State ticket, nominated at Lexington last week: Gov. Governor—Wm. S. Taylor. Lieut. Governor—John Marshall. Secretary of State—Caleb Powers. Attorney General—Clifton Pratt. Auditor—John S. Swann. Treasurer—Walter B. Day. Supt. of Public Instruction—John Burke. Commissioner of Agriculture—Juo W. Treckmorton.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Queensware at Shaw's.  
—Good roads and prosperity are linked together.  
—Today we present to you "The Big Contest."

—Deputy Sheriff, George Carpenter, went to Fulton Sunday.

—The Methodists of Fulton are conducting a big tent meeting.

—Special attention to Hardware and Queensware at Shaw's.

—Indiana has sixteen counties with "nary negro" within their borders.

—An anti-Goebel State Convention is called to meet in Lexington, Aug. 2.

—Cale Brownlee, a well known young man of Fulton, died, Sunday last.

—The contest that will sweep the wastes of waste and the pocketbooks of men.

—The colored folks are making big preparations for the 8th of August celebration.

—Administrator's sale of J. F. Heene's estate, near Cayce, next Friday, the 20th.

—Mr. Atkins Cole and Miss Eliza Harpole, were quietly married in Fulton, Sunday, Rev. Peter Fields officiating.

—Big tows and little ones are getting up schemes to advertise themselves. The best ad for a town is a well conducted newspaper.

—Tiptonville Press: Mrs. Amburge and her most charming young daughter, Miss Irene, of Hickman, Ky., are visiting Mrs. Lizzie Hines.

—Mr. Bruce Hines, of Fulton, was injured Tuesday by being thrown from his wagon on the railroad track on river front. Injuries not serious.

—Mr. A. P. Sells will leave to-day or to-morrow for Brinkley, Ark. He will oppose the name of a candidate who will indicate, as now, the voter's choice for that office.

—The city authorities have ordered a general repair of pavements and sidewalks, in the interest of the city.

—The citizens of Farmington, Grays County, have offered a reward of \$200 for any information of Miss Maud Stull, who mysteriously disappeared on June 5.

—Capt. William A. Andrews, who started across the Atlantic Ocean June 15 in a boat 12 feet long, was picked up exhausted about 200 miles from the Irish coast.

—C. B. Morris, Druggist, Moscow, Ky., says he thinks Plague, Chills, Croup and Colds are his trade because it eradicates the system of all malarial poison, and he gets it.

—In spite of the efforts of Government officials to prevent it, the Indians of the Territory are holding their ghost dances and other similar ceremonies.

—The postoffice at Clinton was burglarized last night. The burglars secured \$75. They used dynamite to break the safe open. No clue had been obtained as yet.

—Oblion Democrat: Mrs. Margaret Nugent died Monday morning at the nursing home of Mrs. Nichols. Mrs. Nugent came to this city from near Cayce, Ky., several weeks ago, and was under the treatment of the Christian Scientists. Her remains were carried to Harmony church for interment.

—It is claimed by some ladies that single blessedness is the happiest condition for women, while others contend that happiness can only be found in matrimony. Both are wrong. Neither is the ideal state of womanhood. For a woman to be exclusively devoted to herself and the world she must be a rich widow.

—I positively will repair your car, or work at less than the lowest price. Have the experience, tools and can execute the work. Yours truly, H. V. Beck.

—The season for dove shooting, by far the best sport we now have in this country, will soon be upon us and the sportsmen can have a grand time.

—It was reported that many doves were frozen to death last winter, because of the report that there was apparently a smaller crop than usual and that the hunting will be just as good as over.

—Here is the published remedy for infantile sleeplessness discovered by an Englishman who has suffered much from the cause: "As soon as the squallor awakes put it up in a sitting position with pillows and warm fomentations with thick molasses or syrup. Then put half a dozen feathers into its hands, and baby will sit and pick the feathers from one hand to the other until it falls asleep."

—The average boy or girl has no use whatever for geometry, algebra, chemistry, physics, geography or ancient history as studied in the average public school, says the Washington Post. It is of the utmost importance that he should know thoroughly the principles of arithmetic, should be able to spell correctly, write a good hand and speak and read without mispronouncing words.

—Oblion Democrat: Friday at 12 o'clock the dead body of a white man, who was found hanging from a limb of a tree in front of Creek Church in District No. 7, Craig County, was taken to the morgue.

—The man who was in an insane asylum for several years ago, and who was struck with a long piece of iron, and left him in an insane condition. In the neighborhood in which he lived he was regarded as a harmless unfortunate soul who he would be willing to place to Harris.

—Dr. W. T. Harris, who took a supernumerary relation last fall on account of ill health, has sufficiently recovered to resume work, and will supply the pulpit of our church at Seay, Ark., until the meeting at the Annual Conference. We understand Dr. Harris desires a master preferring to remain in the old conference where he has spent his life. The church at Seay will be a few months. May have abundant success.—Nashville Christian Advocate.

## ELECTION SUGGESTIONS

By Hon. R. C. Talbott.

The voters of all political parties will find something to interest them in the following article, which we copy from a local exchange:

A Novel Suggestion for the Consideration of all Voters of all Political Parties.

PARIS, KY., July 8th, 1899.

Relative to the subject of political conventions, at present of more than ordinary interest, why not dispense with primary elections, conventions and preliminary nominations for office?

The following method of attaining that end has occurred to me, and its hearty endorsement by those to whom it has been mentioned in private, is my reason for making it public; if it appears to meet the approval of the people generally, the next Legislature may be asked to take some action on this subject.

Without holding any primary election or convention, let the names of all candidates for each office be placed on the ballots at the general election. The Democratic ticket for each office on the ballot can embrace the names of all who wish to run on that ticket; the Republican ticket the names of all candidates who wish to run on that ticket, and so on of other political parties. A stencil mark opposite the name of a candidate would indicate, as now, the voter's choice for that office. That one of the Democratic candidates for that office who, as compared with the other Democratic candidate for the same office, received the highest number of votes, let be the nominee of the Democratic party for that office. So in the Republican candidates for the same office; the one who, compared with the other Republican candidate for the same office, received the highest number of votes, let be the nominee of the Republican party for that office. And so of all other political parties.

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he might advocate. Upon the whole the advantage of this plan are many and may be easily indicated, but the advocates being now these questions arise:

First—Are there any latent advantages that would counterbalance the advantages?

Second—Are there any disadvantages as may be pointed out, with out remedy?

Third—Would any constitutional amendment be required?

By nominating General Taylor the Republicans have, probably, lost the greater part of the negro vote, and the Goebels will get it if they don't stand out." Col. Breckinridge's Paper.

AT CANTON.  
Last Night's Vote.

Mr. R. P. Schott wants to go in Congress from one of the Ohio districts, and proposes that the Republican nomination be given to the highest bidder, starting with a bid himself of \$10,000. "If Congressmen are to buy their seats," he says, "it should be done in a straightforward and legitimate way that will do the most good to the community, instead of granting filthy bribes to government by buying votes." Mr. Schott's proposition is definite and positive. Perhaps it will not all who wish to run on that ticket; the Republican ticket the names of all candidates who wish to run on that ticket, and so on of other political parties.

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## THE BIG CONTEST.

In special arrangement with the publishers of The Semi-Weekly American, Nashville, Tenn., we are enabled to offer a limited time only a year's subscription to THE SEMI-WEEKLY AMERICAN, both for one dollar. Let it be distinctly understood that this is in addition to the regular subscription price of our paper, and is not in addition to the price of The Semi-Weekly American, each of which is \$1.00. This price is made special for this contest only. Every person taking advantage of this remarkable offer is allowed one guess free.

## "THE BIG CONTEST."

—YOUR WEIGHT—  
IN  
Silver Dollars.

FREE SILVER SILVER FREE SILVER

Our Grand New Guessing Contest

Opens July 24, 1899, and Closes October 31, 1899.

Having Duration of 100 Days.

## THE BIG CONTEST.

How many words will appear on the First Page of The Semi-Weekly American, of Nashville, Tennessee, of the issue of Thursday, November 2, 1899?

EXPLANATIONS—counting every word including Headings, Dates and Abbreviations, numbers and all signs which stand for words, but counting the mark 9 as one word, and counting the word "and" as one word, and counting the word "the" as one word, and counting the word "of" as one word, and counting the word "in" as one word, and counting the word "on" as one word, and counting the word "at" as one word, and counting the word "from" as one word, and counting the word "to" as one word, and counting the word "by" as one word, and counting the word "with" as one word, and counting the word "without" as one word, and counting the word "between" as one word, and counting the word "among" as one word, and counting the word "towards" as one word, and counting the word "against" as one word, and counting the word "beyond" as one word, and counting the word "within" as one word, and counting the word "under" as one word, and counting the word "above" as one word, and counting the word "below" as one 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## THE HICKMAN COURIER.

George Warren.

HICKMAN, KY.

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1899.

## Local and Personal.

—The "Big Contest."  
—Fix up your sidewalks.  
—Show at SHAW'S.  
—Barbecue on No. 8 Island to morrow.  
—See notice of Public Sale in this issue.  
—This paper tells all about "The Big Contest."  
—R. T. Douglas returned to Memphis Sunday.  
—Geo. Miller and Walter Linton Sunday in Fulton.  
—Attorney L. Donaldson, of Tiptonville, was in Hickman this week on business.

—Shaw's \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 shoes can't be beat.  
—Capt. James Koger, wife and children, of Paducah, are visiting Mr. R. M. Lader's family.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buchanan, of Union City, spent Sunday in this city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Buchanan.

—Hon. H. A. Tyler is having a fish pond dug on his home place in the suburbs of Hickman, contract price \$1,000.

—The rains of last Sunday were pretty general, and of great benefit. Some early corn was beyond full position.

—Ring up when you want fresh milk, bread, fruits, and Candies.

—A good road is the shortest distance between two points. A muddy road is always long when its depth is considered.

—Mrs. Elias Christie, the mother of Wm. Christie, died at the old homestead, near Moscow, Sunday last. She had been for many years a great sufferer from rheumatism.

—There were, as we hear, 14 applicants for one vacancy in the corps of teachers in Hickman College. The contest was determined by the Teachers' Welfare day night, in favor of Miss Anna Outten.

—Fulton Leader: Mr. Atkins and Miss Elsie Harpole were quietly married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harpole yesterday (Sunday) afternoon at 6:30 o'clock. Rev. Peter Fricke officiating.

—Get your eyes tested at the Old Kentucky Eye, on Johnson's Optician, the finest in town.

—Good roads make better citizens. They promote wealth and prosperity. They promote security and good fellowship. They make up-to-date civilization. They are the foes of provincialism and mediocrity.

—Mr. C. B. Kingman, of the Railway Mail Service, and wife, are visiting relatives in Hickman. Mr. Kingman has for some years been employed in the office of the Dept. of the Railway Mail Service, in Cincinnati.

—If the man who worries will only keep over the fence he will escape with but a few scratches. Most every fellow thinks he has the heaviest, but take a look at the other one following, striving to get out an existence and you will change your mind.

—Over 20 years experience in repairing fine watches and clocks. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. A. W. H.

—Mr. Ed. Brown, the best local news paragraphist in West Kentucky, has bought the Harwell Star, Hugh Sanders' paper. Mr. Sanders' resignation is a record of ill health. We shall miss Hugh very much—a true friend, and a good, honest, conscientious man.

—The good roads question is attracting no little attention throughout all portions of Kentucky. A strong effort is being made in the State to have the next Legislature pass a "good roads law," and appropriate a fund to keep the roads in repair.

6 loaves Bread for 75c.  
20 loaves Bread for \$1.00.  
Patronize home industry and save from 10c to 20c on the dollar, at the New City Bakery.

—The Episcopal home Ice Cream was given Tuesday evening at the beautiful home of Mrs. R. T. Tyler, by the Misses Mabel and Bessie French, which afforded a pleasant, enjoyable and profitable evening. The next will be at Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cowgill's next Thursday evening from 5 to 9 p. m.

—Miss Mattie Debow, who has been a teacher in Hickman College, has declined her re-election, and has accepted a position in the Union City Public School. She is a most excellent lady, and is worth as a teacher in Hickman College, which employment would have been continued if she had so desired.

Difficult Work Especially Solicited.  
Our new jeweler, Mr. Beebe, is prepared to give perfect satisfaction in all repair work entrusted to him. Eyes tested free.

WILSON'S BOOK & JEWELRY STORE.  
—The story every one would wish to be true is the latest one of an alleged discovery of the elixir of youth by a Missouri physician. The absurdity of the claim is, however, the only element of interest that invites a passing notice.

We are not informed how this wonderful elixir is obtained, other than that by some mysterious unobtainable and roundabout process it is extracted from the glands of the goat. In fact, the more we are likely to know what it actually is the less we may be inclined to believe what it can really do. Nature has an unalterable of progressive growth and consequent decay. The various resulting evolutionary changes in our flesh and bones must go on as surely and relentlessly as time itself. There is, also, no alchemy that can convert ashes into fuel, no trick that can turn back the clock to reveal the lost day.

## Mr. Chris. Ledwidge Dead.

Mr. Christopher Ledwidge, one of the old pioneer citizens of Fulton County, died on Saturday morning last, and was buried in the city cemetery on Sunday morning. In ante-bellum days and several years after Mr. Ledwidge was an active business man in Hickman, and as such well known to the trading public. He was a distinct character, following no man's wake or example except it suited his own convictions. A good business man, but at the same time a man of infinite wit and humor, quick at repartee and always ready in his days of vigor and health to give forth sallies for both friends and foes alike. For the past 25 or 30 years he has lived in absolute retirement on his farm near Hickman, enjoying the peace and comfort of home, which should always accompany a ripe old age. Peace to his ashes.

## SANDERS & REEVES

Has the newest, up-to-date 15 inch RU-RO. Come and get your copy. They are good goods, and so cheap.

## Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibitionists of Kentucky will meet in mass convention at Louisville, Aug. 1st and 2nd to nominate a State ticket. Hon. Sam Dickie, Albion, Michigan, and chairman of the National Prohibition Executive Committee, will be present. Reduced rates on all the railroads have been secured on the certificate plan. The Willard Hotel will be headquarters, and the convention will be held in music hall. A banquet will be held at the Willard Tuesday evening.

## JNO. CARTER, or GRAVES.

John Carter, of Graves county, who was pardoned out of the penitentiary about six months ago by Gov. Bradley, is now doing time on the Paducah chain gang for "vagrancy." In 1888 or 1889 Carter, who was then only about sixteen years old, killed a man named Trafford in a disputable dive near Mayfield. After many postponements he was tried in the Graves Circuit Court and sentenced to be hanged. The execution was set for a date early in 1891. Several unsuccessful attempts were made to secure a pardon for Carter, but finally, just two days before the date for the execution, Attorney Will Smith presented the strong plea of the youth of the prisoner so successfully that Gov. Buckner commuted the sentence to imprisonment for life in the penitentiary.

## GUARDING AGAINST PLAGUE.

On account of the arrival some time ago in that port of a vessel from the East, and a few cases of the bubonic plague, San Francisco has, it is reported, established a camp of detention for such regiments returning from Manila as may have been exposed to the Oriental disease.

This form of pestilence has its home in the East, and several times has committed considerable ravages in Europe. Throughout the centuries it has been known as "the pest of the plague," "the black death," "the great mortality."

There have been no reported cases of the plague in Manila or any of the ports of the Philippines, but by reason of the constant passage of vessels between these islands and India and China, where the scourge has made its appearance, the chance of contagion to our troops is an ever present contingency. San Francisco's Board of Health should not be censured for taking precautions against the plague being brought into that port, whence it might spread over the entire country.

## Prosperity in Tennessee.

Throughout the whole state there is a marked improvement in every line of business and from nearly every town there comes the news of an era of general prosperity; more new business enterprises are being located, thousands upon thousands of dollars are being invested in the real estate of the State. Several cotton mills are spoken of for neighboring towns, while the increase in the value of iron is causing the re-establishment of business in the heretofore deserted iron sections, and the great phosphate industry of Middle Tennessee is attracting capital by the millions. New railroads are being constructed, thereby materially aiding the development of the natural resources. Many towns throughout the State are realizing the dawn of a prosperous age. It is the time to build up and improve, are exerting themselves to attract capital and home seekers. —Mt. Pleasant Chronicle.

## ESSENTIAL TO SUCCESS.

In showing that judicious newspaper advertising is one of the strongest aids in building up a lucrative business, the Baltimore Herald quotes the testimony of a Chicago paper which stated not long ago that one dry goods firm had paid a total of \$79,215 for advertising during the year ending April 30. It cites the claim made by a New York Newspaper that in that city there were several firms that paid \$100,000 each per year for advertising, adding that it had three patrons of its own whose expenditures in this direction equal or exceed this amount.

"The benefit of advertising is not confined alone to men in mercantile pursuits. It will build up every sort of business. The point fact was understood by the late Robert Bonney, founder of the New York Ledger who used this method to make an obscure and struggling sheet one of the best known literary publications in the English speaking world, and himself a millionaire.

It is but one of thousands of successes achieved through the use of judicious and persistent advertising. So essential has this publicity become to upbuilding of the business commercial colleges all over the country are teaching "how to advertise" as an educational equipment necessary to the fitting out of students for a business career to trade. Successful merchants are aware of the value of advertising and understand that the frequency and attractiveness of their announcements in the newspapers are at once the cause and the measure of their success.

## Gobbler That Hatches Eggs.

Miss Lizzie Murdoch, near Lynville has a turkey gobbler that is a curiosity in its way. Some time ago it showed a tendency to set, and Miss Murdoch finding it was determined to take the place of a hen, put under it a setting of eggs, and since then it has been attending strictly to business as though it were a female. The eggs will likely hatch in a short time, and the owner is anxiously waiting to see what disposition the gobbler will make of the young turkeys.—Mayfield Monitor.

## McKINLEY RESPONSIBLE.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal expends two columns and a quarter of its valuable space in proving that McKinley's Cabinet contains a disreputable Secretary of War, an agent of the trust, an Attorney General, an ass of civil service reform, and a lion's skin as Secretary of the Treasury, and a Secretary of the Navy who has lent himself and all the machinery of his department to a disgraceful attempt to displace an honored naval officer.

## Judge Pryor on Gobel.

(Paris Kentuckian Criticism.)

Recently the writer met Judge Wm. Pryor, that whom no man stands higher in Kentucky. In the course of the conversation it was suggested that, as the candidates would each develop considerable strength, there might be a deadlock in the convention, and in that event, he (Pryor) might be chosen as the democratic candidate for governor, and that he could be elected by an overwhelming majority. He promptly responded: "I am for Senator Gobel. I know him, and, therefore, I am for him. I had rather see him Governor than to be Governor myself. Such a man is needed. He would make an able governor."

## DIVIDED DEMOCRATS.

Hon. Joseph J. Whitely, of Ansonia, who is just back from the East, gives out an interview which is full of meat. He found that there is practically no silver sentiment in the East; that the Democracy cannot win with a radical candidate on an extreme platform; that another Southern and Western alliance would prove disastrous because the West has gone back to the Republicans and the Democrats couldn't master over a dozen electoral votes in that section; that the North and East are anxious to line up with the Democrats of the South on the reform, anti-trust and other old-fashioned theories, but it is impossible to unite them in a silver campaign. All of which is the gospel truth and must be apparent to every observant politician, just as it is to Mr. Whitely and Senator Morgan. There is no logic in standing by a man and an issue which cannot command the confidence of the people, and it is the height of intolerance to attempt to proscribe a Democrat who seeks a place by which the party can be placed in a position to win.—Birmingham, Ala. News.

## Cheapness of School Books.

School books are becoming so cheap now that the youth of Tennessee has himself to blame if he doesn't get an education.—Marathon Free Press.

The recent session of the Tennessee Legislature enacted a new school book law, as we understand presently like the Ohio School Book bill now attracting so much attention in this State, and the above extract represents the result.

W. H. WINTER, drugist, Clayton, Ky., says he has well Platanon (Chill Care) for many years, and among the many child cases he finds the Platanon the most reliable in its class, as it acts directly on the digestive system, which only stops for a short time. It removes the cause, and the cure is permanent.

## Come Forward!

All persons indebted to C. A. Holcomb notified that they must come forward and settle. Delays are dangerous. Verbum Sapient.

## Public Sale.

As Administrator of the estate of N. J. Green, deceased, I will, on FRIDAY, July 21st, offer for sale to the highest bidder of his late home, 1 mile North of Cape, Ky., on the Moscow and Cayce road, the following described property, to-wit: Houses, Mills, Hogs, Farming Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture, growing crop, 140 bushels of Wheat, &c.

Terms made known on day of sale.

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Nice and Clean,

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Soda Water,

ALL FLAVORS,

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A FRESH SUPPLY OF

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Because his advertisements in the local papers didn't seem to attract attention—didn't draw a crowd to his store and help him to sell goods.

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Why? Because he has found that he can get fifty first-rate ads, check full of suggestions, the best that are appearing in his line in newspapers the country over for a dollar—and that with their help it is mere play to arrange ads which fill the bill to a "T." You can do the same. All lines. Send a dollar to

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An era of Trusts is upon us. We're a TRUST IN (GOOD) SHOES and have practically barred competition. TO CLOSE OUT our

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we are making the following very LOW PRICES:

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YOUR PICK of Straw Hats. These Hats were \$1.50, 1.00, 75c.

2 for \$1.00. 2 for \$1.00.

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GOOD FRESH BREAD

GO TO THE

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Bread, Cakes and Pies Baked Daily!

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GROCERIES,

Fresh Meats,

Hardware, Queensware,

Hay, Oats, Bran, Lime,

and Cement.

AT YOUR DOOR.

PRICES WILL PLEASE YOU.







**HADEN BREAR 100 SR.**  
Clay County Pumping Lead into Each other.

**MANCHESTER, July 17.** Via London, Ky., July 18—The Baker feud has broken out afresh here, and a pitched battle between the factions ensued here to-day, in which a number on both sides are reported killed and wounded.

It is hard to get facts, as one conflict took place in the country and the affair is colored by the passions of each side as they tell the story.

Seems to be True.

LONDON, KY., July 18.—Only two were killed in yesterday's battle in Clay county—Aaron Morris and Hugh Griffin. Bob Phillips, Ed. Flaher and Matt Griffin are mortally wounded, and death was momentarily expected at 7 o'clock this morning, while the newspaper left Manchester. Green Griffin was shot in the thigh and is seriously wounded. Excitement is at its height. Another conflict between the friends of the feudists is imminent.

**Not Precipitate.**

FRANKFORT, July 18.—Governor Bradley, mindful of his former experience with fake news from Clay county, will not order out any troops until the news received in the press dispatches is fully confirmed. If the news is as reported he will send three companies of militia.

#### Kentucky War.

The report of the battle in Clay county between the Phillips and Griffins is confirmed by later news from that crime ridden county. Only three of the participants were instantly killed, but three others were fatally wounded and two more were seriously wounded. Only one escaped unhurt. One of the less seriously wounded men is in jail at Manchester, while the partisans of both sides are threatening further trouble. Governor Bradley, who has been fooled so often by reports from Clay county, was slow to credit the story of this outbreak. He has been convinced that the report in this case was not exaggerated, but has not determined what steps to take. He thinks legislation will be necessary to give him power to deal with the situation properly, but thinks that politics will play too large a part in an extra legislative session at this juncture.

#### ONE OF THE REPUBLICAN.

There is a lunatic in the asylum at Terrell who has an exceedingly queer hallucination. He imagines he has swallowed a Democrat, and is continually rubbing his stomach and rolling his eyes in imaginary agony. Terrell is the home of state chairman Green and there are other Republicans here. Now all these followers of the G. O. P. have heard of the man who swallowed a democrat, and they take a delight in questioning him when they visit the institution. Recently a party of McKinleyites were going through the building when they came across the man with the overdose of democracy.

"How do you feel?" one of them asked the lunatic.

"I feel sick in my stomach—like I wanted to vomit," he replied.

This answer was funny and the republicans jelled with glee. The lunatic looked at them a moment, and then, as if struck with a new idea continued: "I am glad I didn't swallow a republican. That would have killed me on the spot." The lunatic didn't crack a smile, but other visitors who heard him did. Since that the man with the democrat inside him has had very few republican visitors.—Terrell Tex., Index.

#### A Blind Man's Patent.

[Mayfield Index Democrat.]

Sam Coles, of this city, has invented a machine for making tobacco hills, by the use of which a man can make tobacco or cabbage hills as fast as his horse can walk. The machine pulverizes and packs the hill as it goes. One of the most remarkable facts connected with the subject is that Mr. Coles has been blind for many years, and never saw a tobacco hill in his life. The machine was patented by Dr. Alexander, of Farmington, and will undoubtedly prove a great financial success.

These traits are so many political parties or politicians rail against them so long as they are forbidden with a tariff to prevent competition, and are allowed to enter consularies with railroad magnates to discriminate freight rates. The Republican party in attempting to hold votes of honest men by declaiming against trusts places the intelligence of the American people on the same plane as that of the boy who was rubbing with a pin hole in his mother's rain barrel.

Now get a quart or two of light. And out in the lowly light. When hungry woodchucks in wait, And trawlers and mariners bill, Then come your will they use, Cursed by the sun, of course, And tell your listening friends of those Enormous fish that get away.

The newspaper correspondents at Manila have presented to Maj. General Otis a written protest against the strict censorship of press reports, asking to be allowed to cable to their papers the exact facts. The correspondents declare that the situation in the Philippines has been misrepresented in the official dispatches, and that the censorship of their own newspapers has compelled them to participate in the misrepresentation. Their statement was mailed to Hong Kong and there cabled to the United States. It has caused a sensation at Washington, and officials are reluctant to discuss it. Adj. Gen. Corbin says all the information received from Maj. Gen. Otis has been given to the public.

#### What Wanted.

How a crowd announced that they are in the market to buy wheat, and will pay the highest market price, in any quantity, small or large lot.

—Times & Herald.

#### TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

MURDERED M. E. CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL.

God in his just dispensation, took interest in our midst on July 11, '99, our friend and leader, Mr. N. J. GREEN.

The church and Sunday School take the following action:

Resolved, That we desire to express our profound gratitude to God for the beauty of his life and the inspiration of his example.

Resolved, That while we bow to the decree of Him who death all things, we cannot forbear in this hour of grief and general sorrow, giving expression to that sense of loss that our Church, our Sunday School and our community have sustained in taking away so useful a member, so honorable a citizen, and so noble a friend.

Resolved, That stricken down in the prime of manhood, with life work in full bloom, the work accomplished in the years that were allotted to him was that of a saint and a martyr. We feel sure that the loss is ours only, but eternal gain is his.

Resolved, That we tender our most sincere condolences from the loving family from whom he was so suddenly taken, and to the friends who so lovingly comforted him who is all merciful in their hour of grief and desolation.

#### BORROWERS

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**\$100,000.00.**

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The HICKMAN BUILDING AND LUMBER ASSOCIATION has been in operation ten years, and during this time has loaned more than \$100,000 to citizens of Fulton county, the chief part of which has been used in building and securing homes for its members. There are several hundred citizens of Hickman, and throughout the county, who are and have been, shareholders, and each can bear witness to its successful management. It pays a reasonable profit, security and safe deposit for your savings, and it is a splendid inducement for the young to economize and save up their money. It affords the borrowers the opportunity of paying by monthly installments, enables them to utilize rents in paying for homes, and in about six years accomplishes that result.

The books for a new series of this Association are now open, and will be held open until the 3rd Thursday in August, (17th), for the subscription of New Stock. New Stock is only issued in February and August of each year.

For any further information call on the Secretary, at the Courier office, Hickman, Ky.

**DR. W. M. BRIGHT,**  
PHYSICIAN.

Office over Wilson's Book Store, Holcombe Building.

**HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.**

#### N. J. Greens Dead.

The death of Mr. Green, which occurred last Tuesday afternoon on the 11th inst., was sudden and most melancholy. He was hurt early that morning by his horse running away. Brief seasons, afflictive, but not gloomy death—for his last words were—"It is his death, 'tis sweet to die."

Scarcely past the high noon of life—in the medium of his prosperity—his was stricken down. The sad announcement of our sorrow and grief over this entire community. But two years residing among us, yet in so short a time, he had won the most profound respect and esteem of all who knew him. More words fail to express our deep sorrow. What must be the sorrow of his beloved ones—a young and lovely wife and two darling babes, so innocently unconscious of their great loss. She all heart broken and crushed. How my heart goes out in sympathy for her in her sad widowhood. Three bright boys—by an earlier marriage. I write these lines while the tears fall fast, for I realize how much they need their noble father. Left in entire orphanage, it is indeed sad, but let us look up to him who has promised to be a father to the fatherless and a husband to the widow. Benefit of a father in his later years, he had battled along through a rough world, and he had reached a high pinnacle, and had situated himself and family so they could live comfortably, happy and useful. He was trading with his work that he might be ready for the protracted meeting. His seat at church was seldom vacant, always at the front, ready and anxious to sit at the feet of Jesus and learn of him. Every day that sat at the Rock Creek church will be vacant, and many tears will fall in sympathy for the grief-stricken ones. Oh, dear friends, you do not weep as those who have no hope, for we all believe he has heard that welcome greeting, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of thy Lord." And so has passed away one of earth's noblest—a Christian gentleman. L. S. C.

#### TO OLD POINT COMFORT, AND THE SEASHORE, AUG. 9TH.

The regular Annual Excursion to Old Point Comfort in charge of Mr. A. W. Smith, S. H. A., will be on Wednesday, Aug. 9th, via Illinois Central and the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, leaving at 12:30 A. M., connecting with Seashore Special, which leaves Union Station at 1:30 P. M. The round trip to Old Point Comfort is only \$17.50, and tickets are good all Aug. 9th, with sleeper privilege returning only.

This trip surpasses any offered the moving public, famed and beautiful scenery, invigorating mountain air, salt bathing, ocean voyaging, palatial hotel and a visit to the Capital if desired.

Every attention and courtesy extended to ladies without excuse. Center of interest between Richmond and Clinton, Falls will be given, reaching there at 10:30 A. M. via Lynchburg, Northern Ridge and other points of interest.

Sleeping car rates will be \$4.00 for breakfast to Old Point, to be occupied by one or two persons and application for sleeping car space should be made to W. A. WATSON, P. O. Box 10, Hopkinsville, Ky. For further particulars, address above or call on agent, L. C. Railway.

**COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.**

Perry Mfg. Co., Phila., Pa.

vs.

Alfred McDonald, et al. Deft's.

Under and by virtue of the Falton Circuit Court, rendered in the above styled cause at the May term, 1899, all parties holding claims against the defendant, Alfred McDonald, on or before the first day of September, 1900, to prove same as required by law, and the same with me or my deputy on or before the first day of September, 1900, under the penalty that all such claims not so proven and filed with me or my deputy by that time to be barred.

**W. P. TAYLOR,**  
Master Commissioner F. C. C.

By TOM DILLON, Sec. Dep. M. C. F. C.

My Deputy can be found in his office on the corner of Jackson and Kentucky streets, Hickman, Ky.

**FOR SALE.**

White Cochon Hamsters, chickens and eggs. Apply to WARREN S. ELLISON.

**Farmers Free Column.**

Under this heading will hereafter be published notices not to exceed 10 lines each, from farmers who are subscribers, who have horses, mules, cows, products, seed, etc., for sale, free of charge.

A licensed hall at Wm. Beckman's Inn.

For Sale.

Three good milch cows and farming implements. Apply to ALEX. RICE.

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